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OXCART - July 1964 questions being asked: what is difference whether aircraft is piloted by civilian or military or whether missions are operated by CIA or AF?

25X1 JACJr.) [REDACTED] 18 July 64, memo to DDCI from ADW)
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"In the years since we began covert overflights of denied territory, there has evolved in the minds of responsible political authorities an accepted modus operandi applicable to this type of activity, that is, that if the United States was not willing to acknowledge publicly the penetration of denied air space by military forces, then that mission must be performed by the CIA. This policy has been reaffirmed on several occasions in the intervening years by the USIB, the Special Group and higher authority."

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McGeorge Bundy requested DCI to submit further report including comprehensive review of principal actions taken within the CIA to date in meeting the objectives of each of the five parts of the Board's recommendation, and (2) a coordinated report in consultation with other member agencies of intel comm reflecting status of plans and actions in re paras (a) and (e) of Board's March 8, 1963 recommendations.

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